Dates and Facts



Opening times:

November 15th –17th, 2006: 10 a.m. –6:30 p.m. November 18th, 2006: 10 a.m. –5:00 p.m.

Entrance prices for pre-sale/online ticketing:

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Day ticket for the trade fair (+ mailing charge) EUR 16.00 4-Day ticket (+ mailing charge) EUR 59.00

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Lyon	5 x	1:25 hrs.
Madrid	3 x	2:30 hrs.
Paris	12 x	1:15 hrs.
Prague	5 x	1:15 hrs.
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